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NOTES/COMMENTS:

Dear Examiner Peffley:

I am faxing a response to the 05/11/2006 Office Action with a request for Two-Month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and the necessary fee paid by PTO-2038.

Applicant respectfully believes that this response places the claims in condition for allowance. Once you have had an opportunity to review this Amendment after Final Action, I will call you to discuss your views.

Thank you in advance for your attention to this matter.

Sinderely,

M. Robert Kestenbaum

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Amendment After Final Action

Dear Examiner Peffley:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action mailed 05/11/2006.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

A complete set of claims currently in this application, with status indicators, is submitted

herewith. The claims are not amended in this Amendment After Final Action.

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